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#### Excitable Mother

Mother thinks a feller ought to never do a thing Like climbin' trees or playin' ball or standin' in a swing, An' once she looked an' caught me on a horizontal bar When I was hanging by my legs, an' then she yelled for Pa An' made him come an' stop me coz she said 'at I'd be hurt An' anyway that's how I ripped the buttons off my shirt, But Pa he only chuckled an' he said right off the bat, "It doesn't seem like forty years since I was doin' that."

Mother's awful scary, she's afraid 'at I'll be killed,
She almost fainted yesterday because my wagon spilled
An' threw me on the sidewalk, an' I barked my shins an' knees
An' the blood becun a-spurtin' like the sap from maple trees;
When Pa came home she showed him every place where I was hurt
An' told him how I hollered when she scrubbed away the dirt,
But Pa he looked me over an' saw how I was skinned
An' he didn't scold or nothin', but he jus' sat there an' grinned.

I'm as careful as I can be, but you can't have any fun
if you never climb or nuthin', an' a feller's got to run
An' sometimes fight or rassle, an' he can't help gettin' hurt,
An' he forgets how easy buttons rip.off of a shirt;
Why, Ma gets all excited when I get a bloody nose
But Pa was once a boy himself an' he knows how it goes,
An' when Ma makes me show him how I've cut an' scraped my shins,
Pa never scolds or nuthin'—he jus' looks at me an' grins. -Edgar A. Guest.

SHEENFUL CROWN OF NEW LISERE



This new summer hat is very exclusive with its crown of sheen-ful lisere. The band of rose buds at the base of the crown pleasing-ly conceals the origin of that brim of tinted satin which casts its colorful glow in reflected light, on milady's face. The short brim on the left and back gives the model a chic appearance—almost inclined to rakishness.

#### FAMILIES AND FIRESIDES

According to Stone and Webster According to Stone and Webster there were 23,292,887 families in existence in the United States in 1916, and the number of dwellings in the country was 20,263,051. In 1920 there were 25,319,443 families and 20,900,000 dwellings. While families have been increasing in healthy manner than the state of 20,900,000. showing an increase of 2,02 in the period covered, the number dwellings has increased but 636. Dwellings, we assume, mean place-all kinds where families live—with without the conveniences that called "modern." From these figu-it seems plain that if the country cannet up on its housing facilit! 1916, that it is now short a m to a million and a half houses. Pi burgh is reported 10,000 houses -h and Detroit is two or three time

The great activity in building erations which was expected on return of peace has not materials says the Stene and Weisser Jones And then there follows can comme "Why should it? The wages was the building trades are receiving are almost prohibitive and they are de-manding still more, so that no con-tractor will take a lump sum contract. Building materials have advanced not the 25 per cent intimated in the case of the landlord as being profit-eering high-but 100 per cent or more, and no one will say that the end yet in sight."

The wide contrasts between the number of families and the supply of firesides is surely lamentable, but there is little to indicate that there is any probability of relief in sight. The law of supply and demand has evidently been upset by price-fixing, profiteering, and too much regulating by the Government, and perhaps after awhile new roosts will be created for homeless heads.

#### UNDER THE WIRE

There were mutinous murmurs aboard a certain merchantman when word spread among the crew that the word spread among the crew that the ship would not, after all, put in at Taihiti, but merely drop the mail over and go on. Taihiti, being French off and on for two or three years and soil, is a little island of liquor in midsoil, is a little island of liquor in midsoil, is and the thirsty men aboard up the liver and make me feel line. Pacific, and the thirsty men aboard had been lying awake nights thinking of the drinks that lay ahead. The disappointment was too much

or one seaman, who, uttering a plaintive cry, leaped into the sea and started to swim for the visible shore. The captain, much vexed and a little envious, ordered the best swimmer in

him back before he reached land. An excited lookout kept all on deck posted on the progress of the race.

"He's gaining! He's gaining! Two hundred yards—a hundred yards—fifty yards. In a dozen strokes he'll have him. Five more strokes! A yard to go. . . . Great guns!"

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"Great guns sir he's passed him!"

"Great guns, sir, he's passed him!"

#### Booze Is Not a Good Cure.

From the Ames Iowa Intelligencer When a man comes to you all dou-bled up with pain and declares he will die in your presence unless you pro-cure him a drink of whiskey, send him to a doctor or else give him a dose of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Rémedy. There is a mistaken notion among a whole lot of people that booze is the best remedy for colic and stomach ache. Obtainable everywhere.

COULD GET NO HELP SO FARMS AT 82



with his farm property, valued at more than a quarter million dollars, facing neglect, Louis Shoger of DuPage county, Illinois, 82 years old, is back into work harness and is setting a lively pace. He was forced to it through the farm labor shortage.

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TILL TIME TO MAKE GARDEN

The unusually cold wet spring has the unusually cold wet spring has set back gardners very seriously, but there is still time to plant some vegetables, according to J. T. Rosa Jr., of the University of Missouri College of Agriculture. High prices and the related planting of vegetables makes this late planting all the more important. Some predictable game to plant nat. Some profitable crops to plant cfore the first of July are: Snap beans, sweet corn, late tomatoes, late abbage, cucumbers, beets and other out vegetables. When seed are planted at this late season, the germinain will be better if the seed are sonk in water over night before planting, are planted vegetables must be careully cultivated, and irrigated when-ver possible. Water is the big factor n growing vegetables in summer, for crops which should be planted to produce late summer and fall troops are Sedes development are Sedes development. reens are Swiss chard and New Zeaand spinach, as these vegetables are quite resistant to heat and drouth. Late Irish potatoes may be planted bout the first wek in July in central Missouri.

In August, several vegetables can be planted for fall and winter use. Kale and spinach are suggested for use as greens at that season. Leaf let-tuce and Chinese cabbage for salads, and turnips, rutabagas, beets and car-rots are root crops which can be stor-

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#### PROBLEMS FOR THE WISEACRES

Besides the election of a President and Vice-President there are other incidental matters that the electors of the country will be called on to settle. the crew to go after him and bring Four hundred and thirty-five Repre-him back before he reached land. An sentatives in Congress are to be se-Four hundred and thirty-five Representatives in Congress are to be selected. At present the majority in the lower branch of Congress is Republican, but most of the time during recent years it has been Democratic. It will be a fight in every Congressional district to turn the balance. Thirty-three Senators are to be chosen. At the present time the party Thirty-three Senators are to be chosen. At the present time the party strength stands 49 Republicans, 46 Democrats and one vacancy. Based upon the complexion of party control in the thirty-two States having elections the Republicans appear to have the best of matters, but the Democrats, who have been "sorter laying low", have quit conceding anything, and they are getting ready for their San Francisco to match up with the Republican Chicago. The results of next November may look easy to political partisans, but the wiseacres who wear out lead pencils and smash





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